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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

ATSUSHI OHTANI ET AL.

Application No.: 08/878,581

Filed: June 19, 1997

For: IMAGE SENSING APPARATUS  
AND METHOD

Examiner: A. Christensen

Group Art Unit: 2612

November 6, 2001

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The Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

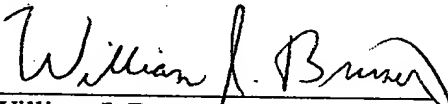
Sir:

Applicants petition the Assistant Commissioner of Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated July 17, 2001 for one month from October 17, 2001 to November 17, 2001.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

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